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LATERAL TRANSFER

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Applicant respectfully submits this Information Disclosure Statement and copies of the cited references pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98 in order to comply with the duty of disclosure. The enclosed list of references cited by Applicant on Form PTO-1449 identifies the references of which Applicant is aware.

Applicant respectfully believes that these references are relevant to the subject application.

- U.S. Patent No. 3,977,765 (Document AA) to Lipkins, entitled "HOLLOW RETROREFLECTOR MOUNT", issued August 31, 1976;
- U.S. Patent No. 4,065,204 (Document AB) to Lipkins, entitled "LATERAL TRANSFER RETROREFLECTORS", issued December 27, 1977;
 - U.S. Patent No. 5,024,514 (Document AC) to Bleier et al, entitled "LATERAL TRANSFER

RETROREFLECTOR AND ROOF MIRROR FOR SAME", issued June 18, 1991;

U.S. Patent No. 5,361,171 (Document AD) to Bleier, entitled "LATERAL TRANSFER RETROREFLECTOR ASSEMBLY", issued November 1, 1994;

All of the references are in English.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to consider each of the references herein and make them of record in the subject application. It is Applicant's position that these references cited pursuant to 37 C.F.F. §§ 1,56, 1.97 and 1.98 are clearly not a bar to allowance of the claims in this application.

Applicant believes that no fee is due on this Information Disclosure Statement. If, however, a fee is due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any such fee to Deposit Account No. 11-0223.

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